



South Dakota High School Activities Association

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NATIVE AMERICAN ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING
SDHSAA Office/ZOOM Option
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2021
10:30 a.m. CT

1. Call meeting to order followed by roll call:

Coach	Matt Rama, Red Cloud	2022 (2)
Coach	Travis Albers, Takini	2024 (1)
Superintendent	Silas Blaine, Crazy Horse	2024 (1)
AD	Leonard "Yamni" Jack, Lakota Tech	2023 (1)
Official	Louis Young, Ft. Pierre	2023 (2)
Community Liaison	Totes Waln, St. Francis	2022 (2)
Legislative Liaison	Sen. Red Dawn Foster, Pine Ridge	
School Liaison	Peri Strain, White River	2022(2)
Ad-hoc NAAC	Bryan Brewer, Pine Ridge	
SDHSAA Board Member	Barry Mann, Wakpala	2024(1)

2. Approve agenda.

3. Approval of minutes of September 25, 2020.

4. Discuss SDHSCA Board positions—

- a. Football— Lance Witte, Lower Brule
- b. Boys BB—Eldon Marshal, White River
- c. Wrestling—Clay Leonard, Red Cloud
- d. Boys Track and CC—Bob Kornely, Jr., Todd County
- e. AD—Mike Carlson, Tiospa Zina
- f. Girls BB—Ruth Dreamer, Pine Ridge
- g. Girls Track and CC—Russ Cournoyer, Red Cloud
- h. Golf—Mike Beardt, White River
- i. Volleyball—Peri Strain, White River
- j. Spirit—

5. SDHSAA Athletic Advisory Committee concerns/positions.

- a. Basketball—TBD
- b. Football— Lance Witte, Lower Brule 2021 (1)
- c. Golf—Rob Mendoza, St. Francis 2022 (1)
- d. Competitive/Sideline Cheer—Tricia Tyon-Brewer, Pine Ridge 2024 (2)
- e. Track/CC— Lema Leader Charge, Todd County 2023 (1)
- f. Volleyball—TBD
- g. Wrestling—Clay Leonard—Red Cloud 2021 (1)
- h. Sports Official Advisory—TBD

6. Jamboree options and plans.

7. SD Basketball Hall of Fame. Past nominee who have not yet being inducted are: Mary Tobacco, Marc Strain Marshall, Tiny DeCory, and Gideon Saul. Suggested nominees from the 2010 meeting were Rich Gerry—RCC, 1970.

- a. Bruce Bad Moccasin was inducted in 2010,
- b. Terry Dupris was inducted in 2011,
- c. Jesse Mendoza was inducted in 2012,
- d. Marty Waukazoo was inducted in 2013,

SDHSAA- Serving Students Since 1905

Board Chairperson – Mr. Tom Culver
Assistant Director – Ms. Jo Auch
Assistant Director – Mr. Brooks Bowman

Executive Director – Dr. Daniel Swartos
Assistant Director – Mr. Randy Soma
Finance Director – Mr. Ryan Mikkelsen

- e. Willie White was inducted in 2014,
- f. Vince Whipple was inducted in 2015,
- g. Lolly Steele was inducted in 2016,
- h. SuAnne Big Crow was inducted in 2017,
- i. Louis Tyon was inducted in 2018

Dave Wagner is now the Executive Director of the SDBBHOF and all of his contact information is available on the Hall of Fame website. To visit the Hall of Fame website, go to: www.sdbbhof.com. Peri Strain is the Hall-Of-Fame liaison from the NAAC.

- 8. Review and compile list of possible **Distinguished Service Award recipients**.
- 9. Regional Indian Education Summit—**October 25-26, 2021**.
- 10. **Other items:**
 - A. Enrollment Factor (Free and Reduced)
 - C. All Nations Football Conference
 - D. LNI
 - E. COVID
 - F. Bigfoot conference
 - G. Hardships
 - H. Other items
- 11. Next meeting date: Thursday, September 22, 2022
- 12. Adjourn.